

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Group Art Unit: 3623

Application No.: 09/760,730

Examiner:

S. MEINECKE DIAZ

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Docket No.:

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For:

ELEMENT ORGANIZATION SUPPORT APPARATUS, ELEMENT ORGANIZATION

MAIL STOP RCE

SUPPORT METHOD AND STORAGE MEDIUM

> LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR **CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued examination.

Applicants further request entry and consideration of the submission filed July 8, 2005.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

 \boxtimes Applicants further request entry and consideration of the attached submission.

Attached hereto is our check no. 169270 in the amount of \(\mathbb{X} \) \$790.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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